US ERA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

WHAT IS F:\NSR\GEN?

F:\NSR\GEN denotes a directory on the TTN computer. The TTN is a PC just like any other computer, so it uses DOS to operate. DOS requires that files be set up in directories and sub-directories. F:\NSR\GEN is a subdirectory on the TTN's F: hard drive. This subdirectory was created to hold files pertaining to NSR.

The files in this directory are shared by all NSR users through the TBBS bulletin board software. However, there is only ONE copy of each file. If you are reading this message, you have the privilege to OVERWRITE any of those files. You MUST be very careful with this power, because any changes you make are both INSTANTANEOUS and PERMANENT. You are changing the "master" copy of these files, the source that every NSR user sees.

You must use YOUR PC to modify the file you want to change. After modifying the file, you must UPLOAD the file to the TTN. It is the upload process which actually replaces the file by OVERWRITING it. Thus, once you have uploaded a file, it immediately becomes the file that every user will get when downloading or viewing on the screen.